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### **Clean Version of Amended Claim 1**

1. A fuel in microemulsion form, comprising a liquid fuel, an emulsifier and an emulsive agent, said emulsive agent having an HLB value higher than 9, wherein the liquid fuel comprises a bio-vegetable fluid selected from the group consisting of biodiesel, and methyl esters of rapeseed oil and of sunflower oil, wherein said emulsive agent is C<sub>12</sub>-C<sub>13</sub> alcohol ethoxylate, and C<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> cetyl stearyl alcohol.